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### REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Examiner for his comments in the Advisory Action. Independent Claims 20 and 39 have been amended to replace the word "encapsulated" with "contained", thereby indicating that the first and second parts of the curable adhesive composition are separately contained. The amendment is supported on page 4, lines 18-32 of the specification, WO 03/057753.

As explained on page 4, lines 18-32, the specification provides three ways in which the first and second parts can be separately contained. In one embodiment, the first and second parts are contained in separate cartridges of a dispensing gun. In another embodiment, the first and second parts are contained in separate chambers of a glass capsule. In another embodiment, the first and second parts are stored in separate bulk containers.

In all three of these embodiments, the first and second parts are separately contained from each other, and are then combined by mixing. Applicant believes that the claims, as now presented, are commensurate in scope with the specification. Entry of the amended claims is respectfully requested.

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